



TRAFFIC ADVISORY

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

SOUTHBOUND INTERSTATE 880 HOV LANE PROJECT TO BEGIN

SAN LEANDRO, ALAMEDA COUNTY – The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) and the Alameda County Transportation Commission (Alameda CTC) are widening the southbound I-880 mainline from Hegenberger Road to Marina Boulevard for a High Occupancy Vehicle (HOV) lane. Work includes reconstructing the Davis Street and Marina Boulevard overcrossings to accommodate the HOV lane and providing standard vertical clearance over the freeway. There are two segments to this project. The north segment of the project in Oakland extends from Hegenberger Road to just north of Davis Street. The south segment in San Leandro extends from Davis Street to Marina Boulevard.

Beginning Sunday night, February 10, Caltrans will begin restriping the roadway and placing concrete K-rail barriers on the shoulder of southbound I-880, from Davis Street to Marina Blvd., and also placing concrete barriers on on-ramps and off-ramps at the Davis Street and Marina Boulevard interchanges. Various lanes will be closed while the contractor restripes the roadway during the placement of concrete barriers. There will be ramp closures as the contractor works through the area, restriping lanes and placing barriers. All work is weather dependent. If work is delayed due to weather conditions, it will be rescheduled.

In general, lane closures will take place from 8 p.m. to 5 a.m., Sunday night/Monday morning through Thursday night/Friday morning, and from 8 p.m. to 9 a.m. Friday night to Saturday morning.

Ramps closures will typically take place from 9 p.m. to 5 a.m. During ramp closures, one ramp to Davis Street or Marina Blvd. will remain open at any given time. Ramps may open prior to times listed.

The Caltrans contractor will also remove a limited number of trees from the Davis Street and Marina Boulevard Interchanges.

Motorists are advised to expect delays and allow extra time for their commute. Please drive cautiously through the construction zone and leave a safe traveling distance between your vehicle and the vehicle ahead of you. Drivers should be alert for shifting lanes in the construction zone.

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